

233727 and 233728.

From India. Seeds presented by the Indian Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi. Received June 18, 1956.

233727. *PHASEOLUS ACONITIFOLIUS* Jacq. Fabaceae. **Moth bean.**

Type 4301-12. Selection from Agra (United Province). Spreading.

233728. *PHASEOLUS MUNGO* L. **Urd.**

Type 9. Selection from Bareilly (United Province). Plant erect, early.

233729 to 233750.

From Italy. Plants collected by H. S. Gentry and H. Schoth, Agricultural Explorers, Plant Introduction Section, Horticultural Crops Research Branch, Beltsville, Md. Received June 18, 1956.

Collected June 7, 1956.

233729. *ASTRAGALUS* sp. Fabaceae.

Col. No. 15949. Apennine Mountains between Parma and Spezzia. Elevation 3,000 feet. Spreading perennial; flowers whitish.

233730. *BRACHYPODIUM* sp. Poaceae.

Col. No. 15944. Northern Apennines, between Parma and Spezzia. Elevation 2,500 feet. Tufted perennial; dense leaf crown.

233731. *FESTUCA* sp. Poaceae.

Col. No. 15943. Rocky knoll in shallow soil, Northern Apennines between Parma and Spezzia. Elevation 2,500 feet. Low xerophytic perennial.

233732. *LOTUS CORNICULATUS* L. Fabaceae. **Birdsfoot trefoil.**

Col. No. 15934. Rocky pasture 23 miles south of Bologna, road to Florence. Elevation 3,000 feet. Spreading perennial.

233733. *LOTUS* sp.

Col. No. 15946. Northern Apennines between Parma and Spezzia. Elevation 2,500 feet.

233734. *LOTUS* sp.

Col. No. 15947. Thin, stony soil, Northern Apennines between Parma and Spezzia. Elevation 2,500 feet. Spreading perennial.

233735. *LOTUS* sp.

Col. No. 15956. Meadow, Apennine Mountains between Parma and Spezzia. Elevation 3,000 feet. Spreading perennial herb; flowers yellow.

233736. *LOTUS* sp.

Col. No. 15957. Sod in meadow Apennine Mountains between Parma and Spezzia. Elevation 3,000 feet. Perennial; flowers small.

233737. *LOTUS* sp.

Col. No. 15958. Apennine Mountains between Parma and Spezzia. Elevation 3,000 feet. Vigorous perennial herb; flowers yellow.

233738. *LOTUS* sp.

Col. No. 15959. Apennine Mountains between Parma and Spezzia. Elevation 3,000 feet. Small pubescent perennial.

233739. *SPIRANTHES* sp. Orchidaceae.

Col. No. 15960. Apennine Mountains between Parma and Spezzia. Elevation 3,000 feet. Flowers in racemes, dark-lavender. Ornamental.